

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 remain in this application.

Entry of the above amendments is earnestly solicited.  
An early and favorable first action on the merits is earnestly requested.

Should there be any matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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**APPENDIX:**

The Appendix includes the following item(s):

- ☒ - a new or amended Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☐ - a Replacement Sheet for Figure      of the drawings
- ☐ - a Substitute Specification and a marked-up copy of the originally-filed specification
- ☐ - a terminal disclaimer
- ☐ - a 37 CFR 1.132 Declaration
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- ☐ - a verified English translation of foreign priority document

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An image control processing section sends a zoom control information of a camera section, and carries out image processing. A camera control section controls the camera section on the basis of the zoom information. A zoom ratio is changeable in the camera section. A light control section varies light illuminance on the basis of the zoom information and the image processing information. A light section can emit light with arbitrary illuminance. The image control processing section sends the zoom information to the light control section, simultaneously with sending the zoom information to the camera control section. The image control processing section sends the image processing information including shades and outlines of an image and digital zoom information to the light control section. These pieces of information are used for controlling the light illuminance in stages in the light control section to make the light illuminance appropriate to photography conditions.